

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

The search was unfruitful, and the property of the deceased was ordered by the Court to be sold and the proceeds of the sale divided among the legal heirs, of which there were quite a large number. Sergeant Fitzgerald was appointed administrator, and Tuesday the sale took place. Rev. Mr. Reynolds bought a bureau at the sale, and in one of the draws he noticed a piece of paper folded up and resting against the back of the drawer. He took it out and

discovered that it was Dr. Weisiger's will. It is written on letter paper of the Microscopical Society, of which Dr. Weisiger was president, and the following is a copy:

"I, William B. Weisiger, do make this my last will, revoking my former will. I leave my property to be equally divided between my wife, Mary, and my son, William B.

between Peter H. Weisiger, William R. Martin, William R. Smith, and Otho Weisiger. WILLIAM R. WEISIGER.
 "Manchester, Va., December 18, 1883."
 Peter Weisiger is a son of the late Henry Weisiger, a brother of David J. Weisiger, and was Dr. Weisiger's adopted son. William R. Martin and Otho Weisiger are

nephews of the late Dr. Weisiger, and William R. Smith is a grand-nephew. William R. Martin is the only one that is of age. The estate is valued at several thousand dollars.

The members of the Order of Iron Hall of this city were invited to attend the lecture.

The December term of the Hustings Court will commence Monday. There are no criminal and but a small docket of civil and chancery cases to be disposed of.

The city churches were largely attended last night. There have been four conversations at the meeting at the Baptist church.

Lamp Bursted.
While Policeman Fore, of the Third police force, was lighting the gas-lamp on

Clay street between Hancock and Graham streets last night, the lamp bursted, but no damage was done.

RICHMOND, VA., December 9, 1884.
R. B. Chaffin, Esq.:
Dear Sir.—Your statement that you de

desired to append your name to the subscription list of the Southern Clay Telephone Company *because* you were under a three-years' contract with the Southern Bell, is calculated to produce the impression that you are unable to effect a release with the latter company.

If you really desire to be released from your telephone contracts, and will write me a note to that effect, I will take great pleasure in referring it to our executive officers, with my most hearty recommendations.

I will also, if you desire to purchase it, add the cost of shipping to you of your line.

Yours most respectfully,
C. E. McCLUER,
Superintendent Southern Bell Telephone
and Telegraph Company.

To the Public.
 RICHMOND, VA., December 9, 1884.
 By reference to the New York *Herald Times*, and *Tribune* of December 2d inst-
 it will be found that the great telepho-
 nist, which has been pending before the
 Supreme Court of the State of New York

for the past four years, was decided today previous, the validity of the Bell telephone patents being confirmed, and the temporary injunction against the People's Telephone Company (a corporation which had espoused the cause of the alleged prior inventor, Draught) made perpetual.

C. E. McCLURE.

Superintendent Southern Bell Telephone
and Telegraph Company.

**To Subscribers Richmond Telephone
Exchange.**

Morton, Donnay & Co.'s number is 27
not 267, as published by mistake.

J. W. CREWS, Manager.

Zetelle and Antoni's Restaurant
open after the Mozart Thursday night.

New Elements in a Baking-Powder.

Professor Von Leibig once said in speaking of baking-powders that a material for baking should be made which would add to the bread the elements lost to the flour. Martin Kalbfleisch's Sons have succeeded in producing a baking-powder which, in the opinion of Professor Stillman, of Yale University, is the most perfect recommended.

possesses the properties recommended by Von Leibig. It restores to the bread the potassa and magnesia salts which the milling removes from high-grade flour. It is also entirely free from those injurious salts which are often found in ordinary baking-powder. This new invention is called Wheat Baking-Powder, and makes

Jewelry at Low Prices.
We have a choice and elegant assortment of watches, jewelry, diamonds, and everything else that is usually had in our line.

which we are offering at even lower figures than our regular low prices. We would invite an inspection of our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Visitors are always welcome, and need incur no obligation purchase.

GODDARD & MOSES, Jewellers,

F. D. Johnson, of Lynchburg, Va., will only remain at 918 Main street until Saturday night, with a new supply and splendid stock of Watches, Diamonds, and Jewels for sale. Will have on display to-day the largest and finest display of Diamonds

A Great Convenience
for our down-town citizens—Herm

Children's Savings-Banks of all sizes and shapes. Also, Toys and Dolls of all sizes.
J. E. BRAGG, Agent.

108 Broad street.
Liquors and Groceries very cheap at
JOHN M. HIGGINS'S
Caution.
Consumers of Pure Pot Still Whisky

Consumers of "Dill's Best" tobacco will please notice carefully the yellow tag same, and see that it has the wording, in black letters, "Dill's Best." Other tobaccos are being placed on the market with tag similar in coloring to the "Dill's Best" tag, and may mislead consumers of the celebrated brand of tobacco. To be

ine, the little yellow tag must have on "Dill's Best." In buying, do not ask for the little yellow tag, as formerly, but "Dill's Best," and see that you get what you ask for."

Zetelle and Antoni's Restaurant

The Same Old Cry.
Too many goods and not enough money
And in order to exchange the goods
money we will offer special inducements
cash buyers for the next two weeks.

want the money, and all in want of Clothing, Underwear, Hosiery, or Neckwear will find it to their advantage to examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

E. B. SPENCE & SON,
Clothing and Tailors,
Ninth and Main

Liquors and Groceries very cheap at
JOHN M. HIGGINS'S

Old newspapers at twenty-five cents
hundred at the *Dispatch* counter,